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Applicant(s): Serial No.: RAMESH BHASHYAM ET AL.

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Title:

**EVENT-BASED SYNCHRONIZATION** 

- 1. Amendment Transmittal; and
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Application No. 09/851,592	Filing Date 05-09-2001	Examiner Diem K. Cao		Customer No. 26890	Group Art Unit 2194	Confirmation No. 2588				
Invention: Event-Based Synchronization										
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.  The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.										
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### REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED MAY 26, 2005

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 26, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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